

Minutes of a Meeting held at Ferrania on Tuesday
Jan 23rd, Mr Allen in the Chair.

Apologies from Mr Saunders, Mr Bessant and Mr Smith.
Minutes of the previous meeting were read and
approved.

There being no matter arising, the Chairman
reported a the Carol Evening. Some twenty members
turned out and £10.00 was collected. It was
decided that the proceeds be donated towards a
Kidney machine. John Joy would find out where to
send the cheque.

Tree Planting

Mr Pearsley would be planting in Silver St
and Mr Bessant on the land adjacent to St Francis
by the River Jordan in Puddingdock lane. This was
in conjunction with Mr Shepherd, the County Tree

Specialist, Mrs Hirschi wondered whether any tree planting would be undertaken by the Society. It was agreed that any suggestions be requested in the News Letter, as to suitable sites, or where residents would like elm trees replaced on their respective land.

Receipt / Membership Cards

Mrs Ingarde had obtained a quotation from Sloane and Partner of £20 for 100. It was decided that other printing sources be tapped as to whether it could be done at a cheaper rate. John Jay would approach Mr Wild. It was decided that we should continue this years membership subscription collection with old books, but that the new ones be ready for 79/80 collection & envelopes.

Plans

The Chairman had been asked for comments on two building plots adjacent to Beggar's Roost. It was agreed that no objection be raised but requests made that a) a satisfactory safe access be assured, b) that the houses be not sufficiently obtrusive to block the view through the valley to the sea, c) that they are built of suitable materials

in keeping with the environment.

Xmas Cards

Mrs Crisp had sold a considerable number over the Xmas period and the Committee expressed their thanks to her. Mr Allen would take charge of them for subsequent sale for the time being.

Any Other Business

Mrs Sitschi asked whether the Committee wished Mr Sitschi to be the custodian of the notice board. If so he would like some material to put into it. It was agreed that the news letter and future events should be inserted, and any items of historic interest which Mr Sitschi felt would be of interest. A suggestion was made as to the placing of the board on the front of the building where it would be more visible, Mr Reveland promised to consider this.

As Mr Crisp reported that the Gas Board had intimated that it would be uneconomical to bring it further than Wuslow Rd, but it was probable that they would make another survey
Grid - Mrs Sitschi promised to enquire as to the possibility of grid being left

in the village, so that in such inclement weather as recently, residents could spread it on icy stretches of road directly and conditions became hazardous. These heaps should be marked for this purpose.

Traffic Order

Mrs Hilschi informed the Committee that the Traffic Regulation Order Sub-Committee had visited the junction of Sutton Rd/Preston Rd but had resolved that no parking spaces should be withdrawn. She felt that this decision was regrettable, but suggested that the complaint be taken to fellow councillors who served on that Committee.

Skittles

It was agreed that names be invited, by way of the news letter, to play for the Society.

The Chairman read a draft of the News letter which the Committee approved.

Mrs Hilschi asked that attention be drawn to the 'Sutton Payntz Players' production in April.

There being no further business the Chairman thanked Mr & Mrs Loveland for their hospitality.

and the next meeting was fixed for Tuesday 27th Feb
at Springbank.

J. B. Allen.